MEDIUM 4 🧶 CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately
Ch = Chain(s)
Cont = Continue(ity)
Dc = Double crochet
Dc3tog = (Yoh and draw up a loop in next st. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times. Yoh and draw through all 4 loops on hook
Dec = Decreasing
Pat = Pattern

Rep = Repeat
Rnd(s) = Round(s)
RS = Right side
Sc = Single crochet
Sc3tog = Draw up a loop in each of next 3 sc. Yoh and draw through all 4 loops on hook
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Sl st = Slip stitch
Sp(s) = Space(s)
Yoh = Yarn over hook

MEASUREMENTS
Approx 36" x 46" [91.5 x 117 cm].

GAUGES
One repeat = 5" [12.5 cm].
8 rows = 5½" [14 cm] in pat.

INSTRUCTIONS
Notes: Ch 3 at beg of rnds counts as dc.
To change color, work to last 2 loops on hook and draw new color through last 2 loops, then proceed in new color.

Color Sequence: 2 rows A, (2 rows B, 2 rows C, 2 rows D, 2 rows A) 8 times.

LAPGHAN
With A, ch 115.
Row 1: (RS). 1 dc in 3rd ch from hook and in each of next 6 ch. Dc3tog. 1 dc in each of next 6 ch. *3 dc in next ch. 1 dc in each of next 6 ch. Dc3tog. 1 dc in each of next 6 ch. Rep from * to last ch. 2 dc in last ch. Turn. 7 ripples.

MATERIALS

Red Heart® Soft® (5 oz/140 g; 256 yds/234 m)

Contrast A Toast (1882)	**2 balls**
Contrast B Teal (9518)	**2 balls**
Contrast C Light Grey Heather (9440)	**2 balls**
Contrast D Wheat (9388)	**2 balls**

Size U.S. I/9 (5.5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

Row 2: Ch 3. 1 dc in each of first 7 dc. Dc3tog. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. *3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. Dc3tog. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. Rep from * to last st. 2 dc in top of ch-3. Join B in last dc. Turn.

Row 3: *Working in back loops only*, except for first 2 and last 2 sts of row (which are worked in both loops), ch 3. 1 dc in each of first 7 dc. Dc3tog. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. *3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. Dc3tog. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. Rep from * to last st. 2 dc in top of ch-3. Turn.

Row 4: *Working in both loops*, ch 3. 1 dc in each of first 7 dc. Dc3tog. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. *3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. Dc3tog. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. Rep from * to last st. 2 dc in top of ch-3. Join next color in last dc. Turn.

Rows 5th to 66th rows: Rep 3rd and 4th rows, keeping cont of color sequence. At the end of 66th **do not** fasten off A.

Border

1st rnd: Ch 1. 3 sc in first dc. *1 sc in each of next 6 dc. Sc3tog. 1 sc in each of next 6 dc. 3 sc in next dc. Rep from * across. Working along edge of Lapghan, 3 sc in first color stripe. (4 sc in next color stripe. 3 sc in next color stripe) 16 times. Working in opposite side of starting ch, 3 sc in first ch. 1 sc in each of next 7 ch. ** 3 sc in next ch. 1 sc in each of next 6 ch. Sc3tog. 1 sc in each of next 6 ch. Rep from ** to last 9 ch. 3 sc in next ch. 1 sc in each of next 7 ch. 3 sc in last ch. Working along other edge of afghan, 3 sc in first color stripe. (4 sc in next color stripe. 3 sc in next color stripe) 16 times. Join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off. Weave in ends.